

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

This country is in danger! When corporations use their money to control the press there is no Free Speech or a balanced viewpoint. Controlling the press is one of the first attacks on a Democratic nation. Don't let big business take over.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. But when large companies control the airwaves, we get more of what's good for the bottom line and less of what we need for our democracy. I want more substantive news about issues that matter not a line of corporate propaganda.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard.

I am sure you learned that "absolute power corrupts absolutely". Don't allow the Sinclairs of our world access to absolute power.
Thank you.